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NEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Huntington D. Sheldon, AD/OCI

The Central Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT

: Malenkov Test Case

- 1. You will find enclosed a paper entitled "Malenkov Test Case." Since the death of Stalin somewhat more data about Malenkov has been revealed than was known at the time that the study was made, but the difference has not amounted to any significant increase.
- 2. In addition to the particular problems involving Malenkov, the attached report may prove of interest to you and to your staff because it contains a number of suggestions on possible research problems relating to personality studies.
- 3. In view of the fact that members of your staff have participated in the discussion and intelligence-getting for this study, you may wish to call it to their attention, particularly

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helpful to us in carrying out the study. Would you therefore pass it along to them when next you see them, and with my best regards? We are grateful to you and to the members of your staff for your substantial assistance.

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Assistant Director
Office of Evaluation and Review

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